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that, all our hopes may be fulfilled, and all our desires may be obtained. Let us, therefore, brethren, be diligent to bring forth the fruits which the Father desires to give us, that we may be able to enter into His kingdom. For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but righteousness, peace, and good will to one another. He that is thus minded shall have the life of God. Let us not be deceived, for the kingdom of God is within us, and we are to be made perfect in it. Let us not be weary in well-doing, for we shall reap the harvest if we do not give up. For as soon as we have done our duty, we shall receive the wages. For we are laborers who are not to be ashamed of our work. For we are the servants of the Father, and we are to be made perfect in Him. Let us not be weary in well-doing, for we shall reap the harvest if we do not give up. For as soon as we have done our duty, we shall receive the wages. For we are laborers who are not to be ashamed of our work. For we are the servants of the Father, and we are to be made perfect in Him.

"We have written all this," says the author, "in the assurance of the Eucharist—the loving Redeemer. Venerable brethren, as you place this in your hands, may it be as a shield over our souls, and to that where He, the Author of Peace, has made us heirs. Let us pray that all our prayers may be heard, and that the Holy Church may on many souls and us, to give her the joy of peace, victory and heretofore."

"We may imagine with salutary reflection all those who are now in error, who expect salvation, reasonable brethren, who fear that the Father will not be in your charge should increase from day to day in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ and His Kingdom, and the unwavering faith in the quiet assurance

and nothing will be more worthy of your aid and your grace than that I should be able to share with the whole of the faithful like the same before the throne of the altar. This God may be pleased to grant me, and I earnestly ask the intercession, first of the blessed Virgin Mary mother of God than whom we have no greater advocate; then of the blessed souls of the Apostles; then of the Blessed Agapites and Paul, whose feast is now approaching, and of all the heavenly host, who, by their prayers, will obtain for me the gifts of Divine goodness for man. Upon you, venerated mothers, who will be the first to receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit, I have placed my trust. O blessed Bishops of Catholic nations—upon your faithfulness to your charge, from whom we need not, as depending on many other things, place our trust, we beseech you, as our heart on apostolical assistance with all our prayers for their

Wagonmaster John Post, receiving a letter No. 3, issued last month by General McDowell, commanding the Department of California, and General McDowell communicates the following paragraph from a letter addressed to him by Governor McComb:

"That at Fort McDowell and at other points along the frontier, the troops have been ordered to be on the alert for the appearance of bands of Indians who are endeavoring to obtain arms and ammunition from the Indians and to use them against the people, and that the troops have been given the following instructions: 'In the event of an attack upon the whites, however, it is imperative that the troops should not fire until the whites have been completely overpowered, and that the troops should then fire at the Indians and kill them as they come.'"

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